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Customer No. 22,852  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Elizabeth TOURNIER-LASSERVE et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1637  
Application No.: 10/019,434 ) Examiner: Teresa E. STRZELECKA  
Filed: May 5, 2002 )  
For: USE OF THE KRIT1 GENE IN ) Confirmation No.: 4231  
THE FIELD OF ANGIOGENESIS )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby petition for a four month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of July 27, 2004. A fee of \$1,590.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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